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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Bhardwaj et al.

Group Art Unit: 2882

Application Number: 09/977,065

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Filed: October 12, 2001

Examiner: Krystyna Suchecki

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For: **WAVEGUIDE STRESS ENGINEERING AND COMPATIBLE  
PASSIVATION IN PLANAR LIGHTWAVE CIRCUITS**

VIA FACSIMILE NO. 703-872-9306

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**Petition for Correction of Inventorship under 37 CFR 1.48(a)**

Sir:

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01 FC:1464 In view of the papers filed October 12, 2001 under serial No. 09/977,065, it has been found that this nonprovisional application, as filed, through error and without deceptive intent, improperly set forth the inventorship, and accordingly, this application has been corrected in compliance with 37 CFR 1.48(a).

The inventorship of this application has been changed by the addition of

**Hiroaki Yamada, 2263 McLaughlin Avenue, #2, San Jose, California, 95122-3548, U.S.A.**

Upon review of this application, it has been determined that Hiroaki Yamada has made a significant contribution to this application and that his name was inadvertently omitted from the originally filed unsigned declaration and the originally filed application data sheet.

Attached please find a statement from Hiroaki Yamada stating that this error occurred without deceptive intent and that the invention as claimed included participation from Hiroaki Yamada.


A Revised Declaration reflecting this change to the inventorship has been signed by all of the inventors, and is duly attached hereto.

An assignment from the inventors, including Hiroaki Yamada, to Scion Photonics, Inc. was recorded on February 11, 2002 under real/frame 012600/0027.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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